AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A method of image improvement in a virtual presence architecture (VPA) including a host computer in communication with a virtual presence server (VPS), a remote computer in communication with a virtual presence client (VPC), the method, on each new screen resolution that is received by a VPS, comprising:

detecting at the VPS a new screen resolution of the host computer;

adjusting a screen border to correspond with the new screen resolution;

identifying whether the adjusted screen border is near an expected location;

if no black border is found ~~close~~ near to the expected border location, discarding the adjusted screen border and loading a predetermined set of values for the screen border; and

if a black border is found ~~close~~ near to the expected border location, using the screen resolution of the host computer detected at the VPS instead of discarding the adjusted screen border and loading a predetermined set of values for the screen border.

Claim 2 (Original): The method of claim 1, wherein the predetermined set of values for the screen border is the Video Electronics Standards Association (VESA) set of standard values.

Claim 3 (Original):   The method of claim 1, wherein the adjusting is performed by setting a capture engine to move the screen down and to the right.

Claim 4 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 1, wherein the user is prompted to manually adjust the screen border to correspond with the new screen resolution.

Claim 5 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 1, wherein the VPA automatically adjusts the screen border to correspond with the new screen resolution.

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